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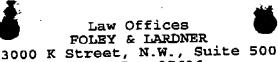
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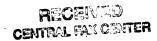
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Joel S. GREENBERGER INVENTOR (S):

PROTECTION FROM IONIZING IRRADIATION OR CHEMOTHERAPEUTIC DRUG TITLE: DAMAGE BY IN VIVO GENE THERAPY

In connection with this application, the following are enclosed:

- 42 Pages of Specification with Abstract
- 31 Claims
- Sheets of Drawings _7_
- XX Declaration, Power of Attorney to be filed under provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.53(d)
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Abstract of the Disclosure

A method of protecting a subject against an agent that elicits production of toxic free radicals, superoxide anions, or heavy metal cations in the subject is disclosed which entails in vivo administration to the subject of a polynucleotide encoding a protein that is transiently expressed in said subject. The transiently expressed protein is capable of neutralizing or eliminating the toxic free radicals, superoxide anions or heavy metal cations that are elicited by the agent. The method is particularly useful in protecting cancer patients against the damaging effects of ionizing radiation and chemotherapeutic drugs. A composition useful in carrying out the method also is disclosed.